

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE
RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Case Docket No. 7129

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Inventor(s): Angell et al. Confirmation No. 9273

Serial No.: 09/674,051 Group Art Unit: 1751

Date Filed: October 25, 2000 Examiner: Douyon, Lorna M

Title: Process For Making A Readily Water-Dispersible Non-Particulate Detergent Product From Low-Density Particulate Detergent Compositions

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1. ☒ No additional fee is known to be required.
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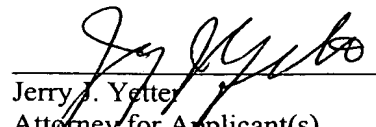
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3. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant any extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action dated 9/11/2002 in the above-identified application to preserve pendency of said application. The processing fee under 37 CFR §1.17 has been determined as follows: \$0 for a 0-month extension of time.
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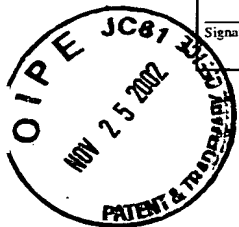
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 9/11/02, please amend the captioned application and consider the following remarks in support of patentability.

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel Claims 1, 2, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 31.

Please amend Claims 20, 21, 22, 23, 30, 32, 33, 34 and 35.

20. (amended) The process of claim 36 wherein said liquid is selected from the group consisting of nonionic surfactants, anionic surfactants, water, polyethylene glycol, and mixtures thereof.
21. (amended) The process of claim 36 wherein said liquid is a nonionic surfactant.
22. (amended) The process of claim 36 wherein said liquid is polyethylene glycol having a molecular weight less than about 1000.
23. (amended) The process of claim 36 wherein said water dispersible, non-particulate detergent product has at least about 5% greater dispersability in water as compared to a non-particulate detergent product having a density of at least